

H. R. 5603.

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

MARCH 3, 1884.

Read twice, referred to the Select Committee on the Public Health, and ordered to be printed.

Mr. PETTIBONE introduced the following bill:

A BILL

To protect the public health.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*
3 That the Surgeon-General of the Army of the United States,
4 the Surgeon-General of the United States Navy, and the
5 Supervising Surgeon-General of the Marine Hospital Service
6 shall hereafter constitute the United States Board of Health.
7 Such Board shall have full power to make such regulations as
8 may be necessary for the government of the quarantine serv-
9 ice of the [United States] and the protection of the public
10 health; and all the power and authority now provided by law
11 for the control, management, and regulation of the public
12 health of the United States shall be, and the same are hereby,
13 vested in said United States Board of Health.

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